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Thank you for giving the gift of a kindergarten starter pack

From 1975 to 1979, the Khmer Rouge and dictator Pol Pot crippled Cambodia in unfathomable ways: millions killed, entire generations left physically crippled by starvation, emotionally traumatized, and educationally bereft. The Khmer Rouge killed 90 percent of Cambodia's teachers, leaving an entire generation of Cambodians uneducated, a legacy that haunts the country today.

World Renew works with local partners in Cambodia on many fronts—agricultural, economic, health, governance, faith, and education—supporting the Cambodian people and their goals for their communities. Cambodia has had to rebuild their country's educational system from nothing and is making great strides. While literacy is on the rise and the Cambodian government is investing in schools, the scarcity of schools in rural areas persists. Parents in remote villages want education for their children, and a **Kindergarten Starter Pack** enables a group of parents to create a kindergarten program for their young ones.

Your gift of a Kindergarten Starter Pack includes the simple supplies we take for granted in our schools: a whiteboard and markers, an alphabet chart, and notebooks, rulers, pencils, and erasers for each student in one classroom. But these modest tools, along with support for the parents and teachers putting them to use, are a catalyst for young children's minds. They are eager to learn and grow. This elementary equipment can provide the early-childhood learning that is essential to students' future success in school. **And education can open doors to independence and fruitful work, precious parts of an abundant life.**

Your heart for children and their prospects for abundant life are a gift to families in Cambodia.

THANK YOU

“... I HAVE COME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE, AND HAVE IT TO THE FULL.”

—John 10:10

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